JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

IN THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT JUDGE AT BANGALORE.

Insolvency Application No. 2 of 1943-44.

Hiralal, aged about 32 years, son of Hameermul, Marwari Jain, Money-lender, Andersonpet, K. G. F. ... *Petitioner-Creditor.*

vs.

P. Ramanathan, aged about 45 years, Contractor, Stevenson Camp, Andersonpet, K. G. F. ... *Respondent-Debtor.*

Pursuant to a petition dated 10th June 1944, against (P. Ramanathan, Debtor-Respondent) and on the application of the abovenamed Petitioner-Creditor in the above case and on reading the proceedings and hearing Mr. H. S. Raja Iyengar, Advocate for Petitioner-Creditor, it is ordered that the debtor P. Ramanathan, Respondent be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 4th day of November 1944.

H. V. NARAYANA RAO,
District Judge.

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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, BANGALORE.

Notification No. 198—*P. S., dated* 21*st November* 1944.

SUBJECT.—Affording facility of delivery of Pre-audit Cheques of Salary and Establishment by two days in advance.

With a view to afford facility to have the pre-audit cheques in respect of Salary and Pay Bills encashed early on the first working day of every month and to relieve the pressure that has otherwise resulted at present in delivering the pre-audit cheques as soon as the office opens on the first working day of the month, arrangements have been made to deliver in future the pre-audit cheques dated the first in respect of only Salary and Pay Bills on the last two working days of the previous month. The Officers and Offices whose Salary and Pay Bills are subject to pre-audit are requested to arrange for taking delivery of the cheques on the last two working days as and when they get ready. The cheques so taken delivery of one or two days in advance, are, however, encashable only on the first working day of every month.

M. SHAMANNA,
Comptroller.

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MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTS.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF TEXTILES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 21*st November* 1944.

It is hereby notified for the information of all concerned that the Administration of the Standard Cloth Scheme has been transferred to the Director of Textiles in Mysore as per Government Order reference No. SD. C. 194—A. 83-44-4, dated 14th November 1944 and all correspondence, etc., relating to Standard Cloth may be made, in future, to the Director of Textiles in Mysore, Sri Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Technological Institute, Bangalore.

B. K. MURTHY,
Director of Textiles.

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF FOOD SUPPLIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification No. H. C. 2665—43-44, *dated* 20*th*—21*st November* 1944.

In pursuance to Government Order No. S. D. 5993, dated 6—7th March 1944, and in continuation so as to reach this office on or before the 28th instant from merchants who are willing to attend to the of this Office Notification No. B1. 17-43-44, dated 28th March 1944, regarding the utilisation of the services of the wholesale merchants in the Procurement Scheme for millets, it is hereby notified that *fresh* application will be received by the undersigned work in certain Taluks of the District of Bangalore under the conditions and terms notified on 28th March 1944 and published in the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 30th March 1944.

1. The total quantity of ragi, jola and other millets expected under the scheme will be allotted among the approved wholesale merchants according to a zonal system based on the capacity and experience of each merchant and the normal area of his business operations.

2. The responsibility of every approved wholesale merchant will be as follows:—

(i) He will take charge of the grain at the point where it is delivered to Government by the holder. He or his representative will whenever possible attest the receipt given to the holders in token of his having done so.

(ii) He must provide all facilities required by the Government's purchasing officers.

(iii) He must pack the grain in standard bags, transport and deliver it to Government depots or licensed retail dealers at various points specified by the Director of Food Supplies or such officer as may be authorised by him for the purpose.

(iv) He will be responsible for the storage and custody of grains from the point at which it is taken delivery of by him to the point at which he will hand it over to the officer or officer authorised to receive it from him.

(v) He will deposit the full value of the food grains entrusted to him at the time of taking charge and will receive full payment for the grains delivered at the supply point excluding the transport charges and commission which will be paid to him in due course.

3. The wholesale merchants will be paid a commission of eight annas per palla of 100 seers of grain to cover all charges including driage except actual charges of transport.

4. Transport charges actually incurred by the wholesalers will be reimbursed to them, but the rates shall be subject to the maxima fixed by the Deputy Commissioner.

5. Every licensed wholesaler concerned shall furnish a security deposit of Rs. 2,000 for the due fulfilment of the terms of the license.

6. The applications will be considered by a representative committee to be constituted with the Director of Food Supplies as Chairman.

7. The Director of Food Supplies will, on the recommendation of the committee, select the merchants and fix the quantities to be allotted to each of them and the locality from which they will have to take delivery and at which they will have to give delivery of the grain.

K. SRINIVASAN,
Additional Director.

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IRON AND STEEL (CONTROL OF PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION) ORDER, 1941.

MAXIMUM PRICES OF IRON AND STEEL.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-clause (i) of clause 11-B of the Iron and Steel (Control of Production and Distribution) Order, 1941, the Controller is pleased to notify the following Schedule of Maximum prices of Iron and Steel:

PRICE SCHEDULE.

(1) These prices come into force from 1st December 1944 and notwithstanding the rates at which an order has been booked shall apply to all deliveries effected on and after that date;

(2) The prices given below are the basic rates F.O.R Madras and to arrive at the base prices for the various stations in the State, the place extras given in Appendix I are to be taken into account in the manner indicated in each part of this schedule under "Special conditions." For any place not included in Appendix I the place extra is the Railway freight per ton at public tariff rates for steel despatched in full wagon loads to such place from Madras. In any dispute regarding the place extra, the decision of the Controller shall be final;

(3) The base prices adjusted for place extra are for standard lengths and sizes and are subject to the